



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of **SATOSHI, Shinada, et al.** Docket No. Q67951
Appln. No. **10/054,898** Group Art Unit 2861
Confirmation No. 8316 Examiner Michael P. NGHIEM
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For: INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS AND INK CARTRIDGE

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2003, and is respectfully submitted to be in compliance with the revised format described in the pre-OG notice, "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted," dated January 31, 2003, which waives the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a-d) for amendments complying with the revised format.

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